

Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.116
Expedited Procedure
Examining Group 1647

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:
Martin Oft, *et al.*
Application No.: 10/797,157
Filed: March 9, 2004
For: USES OF IL-23 AGONISTS AND
ANTAGONISTS; RELATED
REAGENTS

Examiner: D. Jiang
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.113

In response to the Final Office action dated February 27, 2007, Applicants submit the following amendment and response. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.